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PETITION UNDER RULE 136(a) AND RULE 17(a)(2)

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P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, under Rule 136(a), to extend the period of response to take further action in the above-identified patent application, for two months, from December 21, 2004 to **FEBRUARY 21, 2005**. Submitted herewith, under Rule 17(a)(2), is a check in the amount of \$225.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a Small Entity. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or to credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

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